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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE OFFICE OF PETITIONS**

In re the Application of: **Alain DELACHE et al.**

Art Unit: 3771

Application Number: **10/506,980**

Examiner: **Kristen C. Matter**

Filed: **September 8, 2004**

Confirmation Number: **8796**

For: **AIR ASSISTANCE APPARATUS FOR COMPUTING THE  
AIRFLOW PROVIDED BY ONLY MEANS OF PRESSURE  
SENSORS**

Attorney Docket Number: **062221**

Customer Number: **38834**

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**CORRECTION OF ENTITY STATUS**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 15, 2008

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.28(c), Applicants respectfully request correction of entity status.

This application ceased to qualify as a "small entity" on March 26, 2008 (two days prior to the filing of an Amendment and Petition for Extension of Time filed on March 28, 2008). As such, the fees should have been paid at the large entity rate, but were erroneously paid at the small entity rate.

Because the Applicants' Representative did not know of the assignee's change in entity status at the time of the filing of March 28, 2008, it is respectfully submitted that error in maintaining small entity status was in good faith. Applicants respectfully request that the Office change the status of this application to "**large entity**" status.

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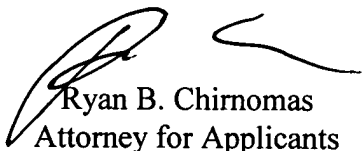
A check in the amount of \$1,155.00 is enclosed to cover the deficiency.

Fee type	Previously Paid	Present fee	Deficiency
Total claims in excess of twenty	\$25 x 21 = \$525	\$50 x 21 = \$1050	\$525
Independent Claim in excess of three	\$105 x 1 = \$105	\$210 x 1 = \$210	\$105
Petition for Extension of Time (3 months)	\$525	\$1050	\$525
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$1155</b>	<b>\$2310</b>	<b>\$1155</b>

All future fees associated with the prosecution of this application will be paid at the "large entity" status rates.

If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,  
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